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Docket:2008.1001

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		Application Number	09/838,170
		Filing Date	April 20, 2001
		First Named Inventor	Shigemi Kurashima et al.
		Group Art Unit	2629
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	0.00	Examiner Name	Kimnhung T. Nguyen

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 09/30/07)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	8	- 20 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	- 3 =	0	X \$ 210.00 =	0.00

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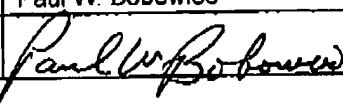
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In re the Application of:

Shigemi Kurashima et al.

Serial No. 09/838,170

Group Art Unit: 2629

Confirmation No. 9034

Filed: April 20, 2001

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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed April 28, 2008, and having a period for response set to expire on July 28, 2008.

The following remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. A listing of claims is provided herein for the convenience of the Examiner.

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